

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Allegations of demand and acceptance of bribe against Sri B.Koteswar Rao, the then Industrial Promotion Officer, District Industries Centre, Khammam – Initiation of Departmental Proceedings under rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991- Conduct of Inquiry – Appointment of Inquiring Authority – Orders – Issued.

INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (VIGILANCE) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 333

Dated.23.05.2012.

Read the Following:

1. G.O.Rt.No.47, I & C(Vig.) Dept., Dt.27.01.2012.
2. W.S.D of the A.O, Lr. Dt.19.03.2012.

ORDER :-

Whereas, an inquiry under rule 20 of the A.P.Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 is being held against Sri B.Koteswara Rao, the then Industrial Promotion Officer, O/o General Manager, District Industries Centre, Khammam, on the allegation that, while working as Industrial Promotion Officer during the period between 20.06.2005 to 03.02.2007 committed grave misconduct in as much as he demanded and accepted bribe of Rs.2,000/- from the defacto complainant Sri Dodda Ramesh, Dwarakanagar, Khammam for showing an official favour of processing his application and issuing Micro Small and Medium Enterprises Development (Part-I) Acknowledgement under Small Scale Industry Unit and trapped by the ACB on 03.02.2007 at his office and as he failed to maintain absolute integrity in violation of the provisions of A.P.Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

2. And whereas, Articles of Charges and statement of imputations have been issued on the Delinquent Officer vide G.O 1st read above calling for his explanations.

3. And whereas, the Charged Officer has furnished the Written Statement of Defence vide 2nd read above. As the explanation submitted by the Charged Officer to the charges framed against him in G.O.1ST read above is not convincing, it is considered that an Inquiring Authority should be appointed to inquire into the charges framed against the above said Sri B.Koteswara Rao, the then Industrial Promotion Officer, O/o General Manager, District Industries Centre, Khammam on the allegations of demand and acceptance of bribe from the complainant on 03.02.2007.

4. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of rule 20 of the said rules, the disciplinary authority hereby appoints Sri M.Udaya Bhaskar, General Manager, District Industries Centre, R.R.District, as the Inquiring Authority to inquire the charges framed against the said Sri B.Koteswara Rao, vide reference 1st read above and to furnish the Inquiry Report at an early date.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

T.S.APPA RAO
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT & CIP

To

1. Sri M.Udaya Bhaskar, General Manager,
District Industries Centre, Ranga Reddy District.
2. Sri B.Koteswara Rao, the then IPO, O/o General Manager,
District Industries Centre, Khammam through the
Commissioner of Industries, Hyderabad.

Copy to :-

3. The Director General, Anti-Corruption of Bureau, Hyderabad.
4. SF/SC.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER